



INCIDENT COMMANDER'S Supplemental Notes

Incident Freedom Convoy Jan 2022.

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Time	Particulars	Review
0700	W EMN Katrina MYERS Sit Rep #18 from 19 Feb 2022 rec'd sent Sit Rep #17 from 20 Feb 2022 rec'd sent	
0730	Met w nightshift IC - no major issues overnight - SIU attended and involved w respect to use of ARWEN by Vancouver Police PD. - no persons identified as being injured. - SIU involved on the mounted unit crowd control incident where an Indigenous woman from Tyendinaga suffered a broken clavicle. - very little activity @ the Cowdrey location - no significant incidents to report overnight.	
0909	Morning Update - CIC. - Section Commanders doing recon. - process not changing - slow & methodical - TAC - Kent 17 blocking traffic. - follow on vehicles if req - still have 3 armoured vehicles. Staged - look for command direction	

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0914	PLT Update	
	- keeping eye on other areas	
	- vehicle staging Arnprior	
	Embrumb - properly	
	- mid week next week no people expected to move along	
	- Antrim truck stop do not want people there.	
	- no intel on rolling protests	
	- no blockades	
	- 666 2 bank street - team	
	- team @ Coventry	
	- 13 passenger vehicles	
	7 RVs	
	2 un ^m attached trailers.	
	- majority north of parking lot	
	- 1 tent @ travel plan	
	- [REDACTED] - still in area	
	possible Arnprior - weapons	
	- SDTI looking for	
	- [REDACTED] arrested	
	- taking about Emergency Act - saying can shoot cops	
	- [REDACTED] arrested - [REDACTED]	
	- [REDACTED] - comments of	
	floods 911	
	- [REDACTED] - attending War Memorial	

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0919	Arrival camp - - 6 to 8 tractor trailer - coach - RV - 20-30 passengers Heather - 17 teams ready to go - getting status of investigations and arrests - two meeting where going with Coventry Rob - traffic - 15 traffic on duty - stayed on Mackenzie King - working in PDU - identifying what threats have been going to tow drivers - officers have been directed to take - may be releasing some heavy tows Amy - - success - main stream media was on board - low board media on board - main stream media saying social media make it look bad - positive messaging going out	

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0923	Dan - Ops	
	- static traffic	
	- 7 QRT ready to	
	- around mid deconflicted	
	Bents / Spark	
	- couple people around today	
	- concern @ secure site Convoy	
	Snowmobiles - believe tracks are old	
	- Snowmobiles patrol area today - marine/dive team	
	- Access to Parliamentarians - Kent St	
	- nightshift gone	
	- only issue overnight messaging	
	to partner agencies - Challenging people	
	MTO	
	- snow building up on	
	on ramps - there was	
	a collision - Rochester	
	- people still coming in asking	
	for access - want to see when can open	
	- on and off assistance w	
	MTO required	
	- call in OPP as needed	
	- having conversations today	
	Dan	
	- some spots freed	
	- good spots for QRT,	

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0928	SO - allowing people cut - not back in Kenny Intel - new intel Rally@War Museum Dan - rec'd additional RCMP. 41 QRT total - 4 to 5 w team lead. POU Command. - armoured vehicles staged and ready to go. - looking good convoy - streets cleared - helmets i. sticks for crowds. - Sheridan had demonstrators - once deescalated Bank/Sparks crowd left - intent - show deescalation - moving into community affected. - good to say hi to - if facing demonstrators - take aggressive response - late in night RCMP member receiving death threats - group telegram getting personal info of RCMP members. - a death threat came from Surrey	

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0934.	- Intel is dealing w local stuff - isolated to musical Ride member chat group - messaging being sent out - protestors not wanted - message to citizens you will see police : fencing - citizens are grateful - food has been sent to police from businesses - directed to homeless shelters - fine balance maintaining stronghold but opening up. - Op Cycle - assessment of downtown. - 8th look @ what needs to be cleared - infrastructure wise. - briefing @ noon	
1005	Command Staff Meeting Briefing. - provided update from last night - fences secure - 2 STU investigations - OPS to manage. - horse injury - no concerns - ARWEN - need to work towards demobilization and maintenance - still need to maintain now. Ottawa Upd - Pou taking hard stand on protestors	

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1011	- approachable to community members	
	- tactical.	
	- 3 armoured veh.	
	- in good order	
	PLT	
	- keeping eye on outer areas.	
	- outer areas - protestors have outstayed their welcome.	
	Intel	
	- 662 Bank St. - apparently non event.	
	- 4 people keeping an eye on	
	- War Memorial / War Museum - potential events	
	- 17 Hot Teams Ready to go.	
	- meeting on how to address Coventry road - but appears to be cleaning.	
	- good for traffic.	
	- Now eyes on maintenance plan	
	RCMP update	
	- threats to officers	
	- concern for safety	
	- this is messaging that needs to get out - dangers of using social media / tech.	
	- safety can be compromised	

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1020	Postings on Rebel News. - regarding the chat - need to stress messaging to members re: social media. - concerns over members posting on social media. - COVID - have had exposures, may need to tighten BELL enquired if Coventry to be secured. - working out how to deal w this - TPA or Criminal - [REDACTED] - warrants executed several firearms seized - RCMP, OPP and OPS to be part of demobilization. - next briefing cycle from ICs around noon. - BELL would like to see what the end plan will be. - hope to open mobility to fence areas. - collapse restricted zones w ability to expand. - mainly around downtown core - intel still needs to be	

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1032	maintained - more enforcement on weekends and less during weekdays. - members pivot focus to community engagement.	
1035	Briefing concluded	
1042	Call to Craig ABRAMS. adv him of RCMP chat release and messaging to members re: comments and chats. - officer safety issue to be aware of	
1048	Deputy HARKINS reg where POU is located	
1053	Call to Tim SKINNER - location of OPP POU. - deployed in red zone supporting OPS Tac. - informed Deputy HARKINS as such.	
11:29	Rec'd Sit Rep #1 fwd to Command	
1155	Planning Unit. - finishing framework (OPS) then going to join OPP to finish plan. - adv - plan on RCMP, OPP, OPS to finish.	

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1130	- OPS needs a break - everything soft tac. - Intel needs to stay. - plans re: fences - need intel to see if any plans of protesters coming back. - SQ have left. - OPS POW stood down @ the moment	
	Insp SPRINGEE adv.	
1224	- OPS: OPP POW taking a break - reg - planning mode what is needed technically to provide suggestion to command	
1233	- Deputy ADVISEⁱⁿ reg to know staffing numbers by 1900 this evening. - Adv Deputy HARKINS OPP POW stood down @ the moment. - Adv Deputy HARKINS planning meeting set	
1247	- Planning Meeting. - Advise OPS Chief wants to see heavy presence to next weekend - want to have an overview	

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1249	of #s required	
	- structure moving forward	
	- Maintenance is going to be	
	OPS, OPP; RCMP to centralize	
	logistics	
OPS	- still in action zone	
update	- fences still up.	
Insp.	- would like clearly identified	
Bernier	- stabilize, action, minimize	
	maintenance	
	- maintenance building on it	
	- once cars are gone.	
	- restore streets, cleaning	
	snow plowing	
	- look @ what we can open up	
	- going to be opening street	
	- working w/ com officers	
	PLT to open Rideau Center	
	- heavy uniform presence in	
	that area so businesses can	
	open.	
	- decision re fences - thoughts	
	fences have to be removed	
	tactically.	
	- Fences @ Coventry - not going	
	to be fenced.	
	- 1st step for maintenance reopening off ramps	

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1258	- need to look @ long term plan - what policing would normally be. - Core hardening worked - what will this look like in the maintenance phase? - static points - strategically placed - patrol - Wellington - Sussex - Rideau. - good visibility - reasonable enforcement. - mix of officers @ static points RMP, OPP - OPS. - Critical - Communication for the maintenance plan. - Presence for prevention. - Tow aspect available: - POU ready to go. - need framework set up. - slow, methodical - messaging in media. - possibility of fences down in coming days. - have to keep in mind businesses - Insp Spryge Oda - flare ups happening - no media in parliamentarian zone	

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1337	RCMP adv [REDACTED] has prerecorded messages being sent out encouraging people to attend Ottawa	
1359	Call to CJC HEMMERICK check to see if need extra support - good - deescalated right away owner of property advised if any more issue he will ask them to leave.	
¹³⁵⁰ 1405	Sit Rep #3 rec'd : forwarded to Command.	
1510	York Tim - requesting update - plan for York - York POU going home tomorrow - potential to all York go on Tuesday - posture needs to be maintained - need meeting between planning and incident command. - develop a plan to cover next 7 days.	
1529	Update from RCMP - POU teams going to Coventry @ approx 1630 to move people	

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1530	Update additional vehicles continue to arrive @ Atrium in Arnprior.	
1630	CIC SPRINGER adv in 4 min will be moving in on Coventry.	
1647	Speak w Brad Mr TAYLOR - 3 sections of POU-1 OPS - 1 OPP - 1 REMP - supported by prisoner wagon ambulance : tow truck - QRT teams - short shifts - stronger staffing on weekends - require current #s on QRT to form plan - from CIC. - Brad adv no streps have come in so unsure of exact numbers needed	
1714	Meeting w Command Staff Briefing OPS update - @ Coventry - going in w 3 POU units. - TPA charges can be laid - downtown core check - Kidean, Sussa, McKenzie Sir John A MacDonald - open. - Portage Bridge - open	

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1716	Fencing still in place.	
	- local community police officers to reach out to businesses	
	RCMP update	
	- Herbs wants people to move.	
	Provide update on plan. maintenance. - info from planning	
	- 24/7 to maintain to weekend	
	- 569 officers a day req.	
	- 80 QRT (80 members)	
	- static points - 61 ^{points} 122 members	
	- roving patrols - 40 members	
	- security police facilities - 20 members	
	- investigative teams	
	- PLT. =	
	- Immediate Action Plan in case of TT showing up.	
	- need tow, ambulance, TAC Team.	
	- offender transport = 128 members	
	- Discussion on numbers needs to be made	
	- Going to provide Plan to IC's - goal by 0800hrs firm up numbers	
	+ RCMP have 90 flying out	

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1727	tomorrow - to be on ground Tues.	
	- static and roving numbers to be locked as well as QRT numbers	
	- could combine QRT into roving	
	- ramp opening need to be discussed	
	- open during week closed on weekend suggested by Chief BELL. - close them Friday after rushhour.	
	- maintain posture for next couple of days until better intel.	
	- Rec'd email from IC - advising not working 24/7, this not correct	
	- Deputy eng' - how many officers required	
	- Investigative teams for any new offences.	
	- possibility of moving fence from Sparks to Wellington to check integrity of Wellington.	
	- plan on getting better intel picture and form up plan.	
	- OPP: RCMP can provide numbers	

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1743	to give OPS a break.	
1747	Meeting concluded	
1751	Speaking w CIC SPRINGER	
	- @ night Operations	
	- need to firm up of #s	
	- RCMP : OPP committing to 250 each	
	- CIC has not seen the maintenance plan.	
	- RCMP : OPP to do maintenance for next 4 to 5 days	
	- Meeting @ 0915 tomorrow morning need a plan from CIC	
	- SPRINGER advises going to review plan and where things go from this point.	
	- OPS Tech has returned to normal operations	
	- to ask Planning to send plan to CIC.	
1803	Adv Brad TAYLOR to send maintenance plan to CIC.	
	- OPS planning adv plan being worked on and so it can be scaled back.	
	- Adv TAYLOR RCMP : OPP committing to 250 officers each over 24 hr period.	

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0700	With EMU K. MYERS	
0830	Update Deputy NARKINS - maintenance plan being worked on. - Deputy req how many trucks @ the truck stops Herbs i Antrim	
0837	Call to P/T Marcel BEAUDIN request # of veh @ Herbs and Antrim truck stop	
0906	Unified Command Post. - Check in on Maintenance Plan # looking like 400 including POTU	
0924	Command Briefing - Planning and IC got together and have come up w a plan - IC going to be in charge at the NRCC. - Phil i Rob - update from yesterday - yesterday successful - Moved out of tough areas - got rid of all cars that - all side streets - Wellington i Sir John cleared - Coventry served letter - sent a drone	

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0927	- moved in POU	
	- anybody who stayed TPA	
	- 24 criminal arrests	
	- no fencing - 1 cruiser left	
	- there is nothing left there	
	- demobilized several POU units	
	- clear message sent nobody	
	is to come back	
	- watching posture of demonstrators	
	- prepare to open	
	- Sir John A MacDonald small	
	protest @ War Memorial	
	- det increased presence on	
	roadways to	
	- POU down to 4 from 15	
	- sent 50 home.	
	- OPS is down. outside Ottawa	
	- moving fwd 1 team to	
	- OPP; Durham.	
	- evaluate daily	
	- very little going on last night	
	- POU stood down at 2300 hrs	
	last night	
	- want people to know police	
	are around, but not too	
	visible.	
	- numbers have been	

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0931	<u>Numbers</u> - looking @ 400 in 24hr cycle for immediate future. - surge on weekend (450-460) - next week look @ pairing down. - need to keep in mind normal policing numbers. - balance tactical; visually - Chief Bell ask limitations footprint - currently all off ramps closed. - would like to open ramps - Adv right now trying to get intel on the truck stops - PLT on ground - assessing Antirion. - looking @ all the bridges all the off ramps have an observation point (Cruiser w officers - 10pts) - Core hardening - give back areas to community - have fence along Wellinger corridor - currently south side of Sparks	

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0937	Moving fences today. - still closed @ Chateau Laurier. - need to make decision on posture. - 3 QP's to respond to flare up. - Rapid responders to patrol open areas - ready to respond if somebody stops. - have no hard checkpoints - W th Messaging to community can be Wellington has to be engineer assessed before open. - Chief Bell adv motion to Council on Wed permanent no traffic Wellington. - checkpoints marked by OPL for fed employees. - question to RCMP can members assist for checking fed employees - good w making a corridor where checks can be made Rob adv - close off ramps. - Chief Bell requesting	

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0943	more presence on weekend	
Phil	- POU available on weekend	
	- as soon as line of site ^{to parliament.} was taken - people left.	
	- believe we have enough bodies 400-500.	
	- as week goes on use of Social media	
	- Deputy adv - Toronto still has Queen's Park park blocked off	
	Chief BELL adv not concern about over policing.	
	- concern over boredom of officers	
	- briefings need to be clear, get away from POU - need community policing.	
	- Uniform members @ Rideau Center walk around saying hi.	
	How to deal w/ surge on weekend.	
	- OPP - RCMP during week 250; 250.	
	- OPS needs to look @ numbers to cover surge on weekend	
	- OPS Chief BELL adv can provide 100 for weekend	
	- Currently across Country	

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0949	Emergency Act - keeping people moving. - as Reek goes on clearer picture will come into focus.	
	Reg Command: Control Structure plan be created by Phil & Rob - Phil adv will have conversation and will get back. Chief BELL adv would like to see structure in place so no problems. - FERGUSON enquire where people were from who were charged. - Heather to adv into. - Concerning some of the key players are going on social media saying they were released and not charged. - Need to have clear info on who has been charged - clear status. - Phil adv [REDACTED] arrested: released w conditions. - Ask Chief BELL - if there is a need to strike up a team to deal w charges. - Chief BELL believes OPS will build the investigative team.	

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0958	EOC update rec'd. - possible convoy slow down 401 @ Kingston - Encourage OPS Chief Bell link in w Toronto Planning Unit for future - in future need to review the event and learn from it. - proper police planning needs to be done for emergency Lead Pressure from Parliament Hill to resume construction.	
1007	Deputy ask - where is the connection to the the IC from the EOC on the intel-re convoys. - ask need to make sure the intel is coming in and connected to the IC. - need to figure out how to deal w the convoys so they don't make it to the City - Phil adv - this is new - been talking to lawyers on legalities of stopping the vehicles. - OPP need to stop on the highway.	

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1010	before they get to the city - Rob adv working on this plan - what to do on side of highway - Adv - PLT is getting report together on vehicles left Deputy req connect EOC intel to IC & OPS - Rob req OPP come up w plan for highways - Deputy adv OPP will deal w this - RMP to look into who is at the OLB 1014 Briefing concluded.	
1017	Adv BERNIERE compressing to the Infinity Center - Phil believes good idea if just briefing officers.	
1026	Adv leaving the NCRCC - only OPP Bernier : city leaving adv - Fed saying all employees need to attend parliament - free movement - no - access yes - free movement no. - Need to find out who demobilizing - ned YL, scribes, PLT - Bernier adv need to come up w plan for people to access the Hill - responsibility to PPS to verify identities	
1030	Discuss w PFERGUSON what	

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